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House Resolution 1952

By: Representatives Golick of the 34th, Maxwell of the 17th, and Murphy of the 120th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Andrew Butler; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, as a student at the Fulton Science Academy Middle School in Alpharetta,
- 3 Georgia, Andrew Butler participated as a member of the school's Science Olympiad team;
- 4 and
- 5 WHEREAS, Science Olympiad teams are academically challenging and intellectually
- 6 enriching programs in which students practice and compete in tournaments covering the
- 7 various scientific disciplines; and
- 8 WHEREAS, in the regional competition at Georgia State University on February 24, 2007,
- 9 Andrew Butler and his partner took first place in the "Don't Bug Me" competition covering
- 10 entomology, and Andrew and his partner took first place in the "Solar System" competition,
- 11 leading the Fulton Science Academy Middle School Science Olympiad team on its way to
- 12 an overall first place win; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the Fulton Science Academy Middle School team went on to win second place
- 14 in the state tournament at Augusta State University of March 24, 2007, with a major
- 15 contribution of a first place finish in entomology by Andrew and his partner; and
- 16 WHEREAS, in its first trip to the national tournament, which was held at Wichita State
- 17 University on May 16-19, 2007, the team performed well and was led by a fifth place finish
- 18 by Andrew and his partner; and
- 19 WHEREAS, this outstanding performance by Andrew Butler is evidence of great natural
- 20 abilities and hard work and reflects great credit on this fine young man, his school, and the
- 21 State of Georgia.

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1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

- 2 this body does hereby recognize and commend Andrew Butler for his excellent achievements
- 3 in the 2007 National Science Olympiad tournament and extend to him every best wish for
- 4 success in all his future endeavors.
- 5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 6 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Andrew Butler.